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<b>CLAIMS AS FILED – PART I</b>							
(Column 1)			(Column 2)				
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.16(a))			RATE	FEE	RATE		
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	minus 20 =	*	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =		
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(b))	minus 3 =	*	X \$ _____ =		X \$ _____ =		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+ \$ _____ =		+ \$ _____ =		
			TOTAL		TOTAL		
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.							
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED – PART II</b>							
<i>11-23-04</i>							
(Column 1)			(Column 2)		(Column 3)		
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY		
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	<i>23</i>	Minus	<i>21</i>	<i>2</i>	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	<i>6</i>	Minus	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	X \$ _____ =	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					X \$ _____ =	
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	Minus	**	=	X \$ _____ =	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	Minus	***	=	X \$ _____ =	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					+ \$ _____ =	
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	Total (37 CFR 1.16(c))	*	Minus	**	=	X \$ _____ =	
	Independent (37 CFR 1.16(b))	*	Minus	***	=	X \$ _____ =	
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d))					TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

\* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.

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Docket No. 1232-4675

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Applicant(s): MATSUI, et al.

Group Art 2624

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Examiner: J. Thompson

Filed: January 25, 2001

For: IMAGE READING APPARATUS, COMPOSITE APPARATUS USING THE  
IMAGE READING APPARATUS, AND CONTROL APPARATUS AND  
METHOD FOR THE IMAGE READING APPARATUS

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Kindly amend the above-identified application in response to the non-final Office Action  
dated August 26, 2004. An Information Disclosure Statement is being concurrently filed  
herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on Page 2  
of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 13 of this paper.

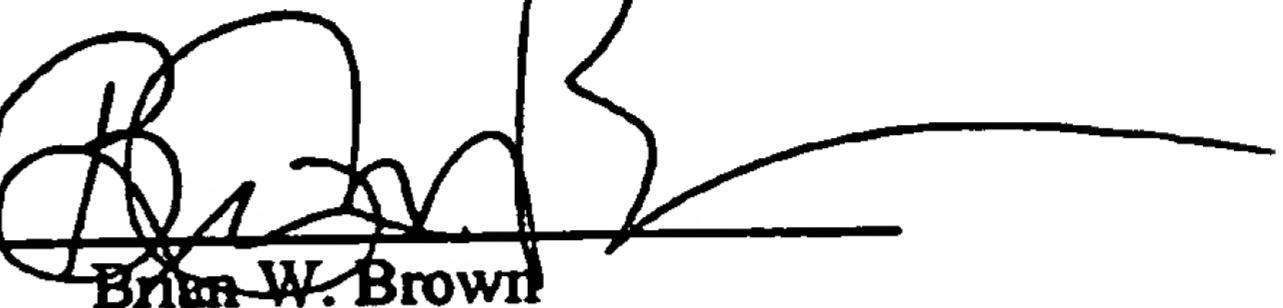
**AUTHORIZATION**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required for filing this response to Office Action to Deposit Account No. 13-4503, Order No. 1232-4675.

Respectfully submitted,

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